

1889
August
16th

A special meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council Room on Friday the 16th day of August A. D. 1889. Mayor Clark presiding

At roll call there were present Aldermen Donovan, Helmer, McQuern, Palmer, James F. Todd and Robert A. Todd.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read when that portion, "moved and carried that the plans for the Culvert at Western Creek be left in the hands of the Street Committee, was on motion changed to read "in the hands of the Street Council. Said minutes were on motion approved, with the aforesaid amendment.

The Liquor Bond of John Connor, with Isaac Reuberger & Charles Meeker, as sureties, was on motion approved.

The communication of Robert A. French requesting to be allowed Two Thousand Dollars on account of his Third Street Contract was read, and it was moved by Alderman Palmer, seconded by Alderman Helmer and carried that Robert A. French be allowed ^{Two} Thousand Dollars (\$2000) on account of his Third St. Contract, and that the Mayor and Recorder be authorized to issue an order for that amount.

The following communication was read and on motion ordered placed on file:

To the Hon Common Council of the City of Marquette:

Gentlemen:— The amount required in extending Water Mains for the year ending December 31st 1889 is

	\$ 2.750.00
Surplus from Water Rates applicable to pay above	1.250.00
Leaving a balance to be raised by tax for the year 1889, to cover the above deficit of	\$ 1.500.00

The Board of Water and Fire Commissioners of the City of Marquette resolved to respectfully recommend to the Honorable Common Council to raise by tax the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars deficit in laying Water Mains

John Kerns

Secretary:

A proposition to the Council from Mr. George L. Burtis in regard to right-of-way for Drunk Suver through his land was presented, when, on motion of Alderman Palmer seconded by Alderman R. A. Todd it was: Resolved

X An ordinance to amend section 2. of an ordinance for grading, curbing and Macadamizing Pine Street from the South line of the curbing on Hewitt Avenue to the North line of Moore's addition.

It is hereby ordained by the Common Council of the City of Marquette,

Sid 1. That section 2. of the aforesaid ordinance be changed to read as follows:

Sec 2. That said street, between the limits above specified, be Macadamized to the width of Thirty feet in the center thereof; and that gutters be constructed of plank along each side of such Macadamizing.

Such planks of the present gutters as shall be accepted by the Street Commissioner may be used again.

Said gutters and said Macadamizing shall be in accordance with the general ordinances of the city relative thereto. And that a Culvert be constructed of Planks in accordance with the Street Commissioner's directions, eight inches by twelve ^{inches} in the clear, and connected with the box culvert on the South West corner of Pine & Prospect Streets, and carried diagonally across to the North East corner of said street, thence along the East line of said Pine Street to the Natural Watercourse.

Also that the following section be added to be known as section Six.

Section 6. That a sidewalk ~~five feet~~ ^{four inches} in width be laid on the West side of Pine Street ^{from the curb line of Ohio Street} to the North line of Moore's addition.

The Council then on motion adjourned.

Approved Sep 9th 1889.

Thomas Meado
Recorder.

J. D. Clark
Mayor

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An adjourned regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in its Council Room on Tuesday the 3rd day of September A. D. 1889. Mayor Claus presiding.

At roll call there were present Aldermen Hennessy, Helmut, James F. Todd, and Robert R. Todd.

There not being a quorum present the Council on motion adjourned

approved Sep 9th 1889.

Thomas Meade
Recorder

F. D. Claus
Mayor.

1889
September
9th

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A Special meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council Room on Monday, the 9th day of September A.D. 1889.

Mayor Clark presiding.

At Roll call there were present Aldermen Davenport, Hennessy, Helmut Mack Palmer Reel and R.R. Todd.

The minutes of the Council meetings held August 10th A.D. 1889 and September 3rd A.D. 1889, were read & approved.

The resignation of Miss Emma L. Wetmore as Librarian of the Peter White and City libraries, on account of ill health, to take effect as soon as her successor can be appointed, was on motion accepted.

The following communication was read and on motion ordered placed on file.

Marquette Mich

August 26th 1889

To the Hon Mayor & Common Council of the City of Marquette:

Gentlemen,- I hereby report that in accordance with the ordinance relative thereto upon the proper application having been filed, the interest of this City in lots ~~number~~ 23. 24. 26. 27. 127. 128. 130. & 131. in John & Williams Burts addition, was this day sold to Caroline Burt.

Said interest having been acquired by sale held on the 12th day of March A.D. 1889. for delinquent special assessment.

Thomas Meads
Recorder.

The petition of N. O. Grault and Eleven others, to have Jackson Street graded and Macadamized from Champion Street to Alcorn Street, was on motion referred to the Street Committee.

The petition of Flavia M. J. Pendell and Olive Pendell to have grade established on Ohio Street between High & Pine Streets, was on motion referred to the Street Committee.

The Street Commissioner's Report was read, and on motion accepted and ordered placed on file.

The Clerk of the Circuit Court having filed with the City Recorder a certified copy of verdict and order confirming same in the Condemnation proceedings in the Case of the City - v. S. Walter Potter and others, the following resolution was, on motion of Alderman Palmer

seconded by Alderman Rule, adopted.

Whereas, The Condemnation proceedings on behalf of the City and against Walter Potter, John A. Thuse, Richard P. Thuse, George L. Burtis, Isaac L. Hewitt Henry Hewitt Jr, and Samuel P. Ely has been finally determined, and,

Whereas, The jury therein by their verdict directed that Walter Potter should be paid one dollar, Isaac L. Hewitt Two dollars, Henry Hewitt Jr one dollar and Samuel P. Ely, guardian, one dollar therefor;

Resolved, That there be set apart and provided in the treasury of this City the sums above mentioned, and that the Treasurer of this City is hereby directed to pay to the persons above named upon demand the sums mentioned respectively, and that the Mayor and Recorder be hereby authorized to draw orders therefor.

The City Attorney having reported that he had negotiated with George L. Burtis for Right of way for Sewer upon payment of Twenty five dollars (\$25.00) as consideration, the action of the City Attorney was approved and the deed accepted.

On motion of Alderman Rule, seconded by Alderman Mack, the following Resolution was adopted:

Resolved: That whereas the Board of Water Power & Electric Light Commissioners have made contracts for Electric Lighting in this City, and whereas it is necessary for the City to sign a memorandum agreement with the Companies making contracts with the City for lighting, as licensee of the right to use the apparatus, machinery and devices of said Companies for Electric Lighting, the Mayor and Recorder are empowered to sign said Memorandum agreement for this City as licensee.

On motion of Alderman Helmer, seconded by Alderman Donovan, the following preamble and Resolution were adopted:

Whereas, R. N. Hawley and his associates consider that if they should erect a Manufacturing Plant at the mouth of Dead River in this City they should not be called upon to pay municipal taxes, as for Water and Street Lighting, until they shall receive benefit therefrom, or until such time as they shall ask for the same at their location, and shall receive such benefit;

Resolved, That it is the sense of this Council that Manufactures should be fostered by this City, and that said R. N. Hawley and associates should have a rebate for

all Water-tax and for all amounts assessed directly or indirectly for street lighting until such time as said parties shall ask for said privileges and receive the same, and this Council will so rebate so far as it is within its power.

The Street Commissioner's pay Roll was presented and on Motion approved.

X The several bids to Regrade Macadamizing, place culverts in, and curb Pine Street from north line of Hewitt Avenue to Moore's addition were opened, and on Motion of Alderman Hennessy seconded by Alderman Helmer, Euclid Luginess, being the lowest bidder, was awarded the Contract at Eighty cents ^{80¢} per lineal foot.

Alderman Palmer moved that the Street Committee be authorized to employ an engineer to definitely locate the line and fix the grade of the Proposed Third Sewer, using the present profile as far as possible, whereat some discussion ensued, when it was

Moved by Alderman Mack seconded by Alderman Drann and Carried, that the Street Committee be instructed to secure the Third Sewer profile and report at next meeting.

Moved by Alderman Palmer, seconded by Alderman Helmer, that Sidney Adams be allowed to deposit a note with the City Treasurer, drawing Six C. per cent interest, payable in one year from date, for one half of his special assessment on Third Street.

Moved and Carried that the matter be referred to the City attorney as to the legality of the same.

On Motion John Bergh was allowed Two Hundred Dollars on his Fourth Street Sewer Contract.

On Motion, the following bills were allowed:

John P. Finlayson, St. Ann's par., Roll for August	✓ 1157	86
Edward Fraser, Lumber bill in August	✓ 317	88
John St. Giller	✓ 29	20
John Bagh on a/c Front St Sewer	✓ 200	00
Iron Bay Manufacturing Co, sewer cones, man hole for 2nd St	✓ 75	43
St. A. Mafford and Son, Stationing	✓ 1	50
William Gorman, Erecting Board Stands	✓ 97	00
Henry Journal Co, pub printing 2 meetings, notices, etc	✓ 46	40
George Larrick Manager of Lumber	✓ 3	00
J. J. Mullally " " "	✓	75
Sam Beaman " " "	✓ 1	75
Bryant and Blackwood piling, planing etc - Rock Crusher	✓ 15	18

John Corso, hauling catch basin and work at R. Crusher	16	47
White Packard & Co, Ruff Roof at Howe house &c	7	35
James Peckover & Co Cash at R. Crusher	14	85
Lake Superior Powder Co, dynamite fees etc	24	50
A. O. Joffling & Co sheet iron, etc etc	11	16
Harold McKinnis, expense of duty to City	3	00
H. S. Hall expense serving papers on J. L. Hewitt	7	59
H. Hewitt Jr and Newell and Thomas in condemnation proceedings		
Ed Smith, clerk's fees	5	00
H. J. Adams drawing Jersey	9	00
H. K. Reed stenographer's fees	5	40
G. L. Burtis, attorney fees paid	25	00
Wm J. Journal Co, pub artists	7	25
Jas Freeman, Juror's fees	2	20
J. H. Hager " "	2	20
Robert R. French " "	2	20
J. H. Reed " "	2	20
E. M. Watson " "	2	20
Jos Jermanson " "	2	20
H. J. Hodgkins " "	2	20
R. J. Wilson " "	2	20
J. A. Varnier " "	2	20
Robert Levy " "	2	20
Carl Rohlf " "	2	20
E. T. Drew " "	2	20

Ayes, Aldermen Donovan, Nemmessey, Belmont, Mack
Palmer Reule & Robert R. Todd. Nays, none.

The Council then on motion adjourned.

Approved Sep 13th 1889.

Thomas Meads
Recorder

J. V. Clark
Mayor.

1889
September
13th

A special meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council Room on Friday the 13th day of September A.D. 1889, Mayor Clark presiding.

At roll call there were present Aldermen Dolf Nemmessey, Helmut Mack, Mc Givern, Palmer, Rule, James F. Todd and Robert R. Todd. Alderman Donovan arrived soon after.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following communication was read and on motion of Alderman Dolf ordered placed on file.

Marquette Mich, Sept 13, 1889.

To the Common Council of the City of Marquette,
Gentlemen,

In regard to the legality of accepting a note from Mr. Sidney Adams for part of his special assessment, I would respectfully report that owing to illness the past two days I have not given the matter careful consideration. I have however, given the matter some thought, and I can see no illegality in taking the note. You will, of course, lose all lien against the property, and will have simply the personal liability of Mr. Adams.

Yours Respectfully,
W. S. Hill.

A number of applications were read for the position of Librarian, when, on motion of Alderman Nemmessey, a formal ballot was taken, and Miss Rose C. Patenaude, having received the largest number of votes cast, was thereupon declared duly elected.

The Street Committee presented the profile of the Trunk Sewer, when it was moved by Alderman Palmer, seconded by Alderman Mack and carried, that George P. Cummings's Profile of Trunk Sewer be accepted and placed on file.

On motion of Alderman Palmer seconded by Alderman Rule the following ordinance was adopted:

It is hereby ordained by the Common Council of City of Marquette;

1. That a sewer be constructed along the following line, to wit: Beginning at a point in the south face of the Grace Furnace Pier about ten feet from the east face thereof running thence north 456 feet thence north 77° 55' east 192 feet, thence north 73° 55' east 331.3,

Thence north $26^{\circ} 5'$ East 197.7 feet, thence north to a point 124 feet north of the north line of Arch Street, thence north $15^{\circ} 15'$ West to the centre of Michigan Street, thence north to the centre of Ohio Street, thence west along Ohio Street to centre of Cedar Street, thence north along Cedar Street to centre of Hewitt Avenue, thence north 55° West 668 feet to centre of Prospect Street. And that the same shall be in accordance with the Plans and specifications of the Davis Sewer System excepting as to grade, which shall be in accordance with the profile prepared by George P. Cummings and hereby adopted.

2. That the Recorder be authorized and directed to advertise for a period of twenty days in the Daily Mining Journal, for bids to furnish all material and to perform all labor necessary for the construction of such sewer, the Council reserving the right to reject any or all bids.

3. That each bid shall be accompanied by a certified check for Two Hundred and Fifty dollars as a guarantee that such bidder will enter into a contract with said City, in accordance with said bid if requested, and will give two good and sufficient Bonds, one conditioned for the faithful performance of contract and the other conditioned for the payment of all labor and material claims arising under such contract. Each bond a penal sum equal to the total cost of such sewer.

4. That the cost of such sewer be assessed upon the property benefited thereby and that the City-assessor be instructed to prepare a special assessment roll for that purpose as soon as such expense and costs shall have been ascertained.

On motion of Alderman Palmer seconded by Alderman Rule, it was

Resolved, That the City-assessor be instructed to establish an assessment district for the purpose of paying for the Drain Sewer in accordance with the ordinance just passed and the provisions of the City-Charter, and that the City attorney be requested to advise the City-assessor as to the establishing the said assessment district as to its legality, and that he also report to the Council his opinion regarding the legal mode of paying for said sewer.

The Street Committee reported and stated that Third Street was completed, and recommended the acceptance of the work, and it was moved by Alderman Palmer seconded by Alderman Rule and carried that Robert R. French

be paid the balance on his contract for said street, to wit: Eleven Hundred & Eighty Two & $\frac{40}{100}$ Dollars (\$1182 $\frac{40}{100}$), and that the Mayor and Recorder be authorized to issue an order for the same.

The Street Committee to which was referred the petition to have Jackson Street graded, curbed and macadamized from Champion Street to Altemus Street recommended that the petition be granted, and on motion of Alderman Palmer, seconded by Alderman J. F. Todd, the recommendation was sustained.

Moved and carried that a profile of Jackson Street between said limits be made.

On motion, Section two of the Street Sewer ordinance was changed to read twenty days instead of ten days.

Moved by Alderman Palmer, seconded by Alderman Mack and carried, that Sidney Adams be allowed to deposit a note with the City Treasurer on one year's time, drawing interest at six per cent per annum, for one half of his Special Assessment for the Third Street improvement.

Approved Sep 27th 1889.

Thomas Medds
Recorder

J. O. Cane
Mayor

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1889
Sep 27th

A Special meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council Room on Friday the 27th day of September A. D. 1889. Mayor Clark presiding.

An roll call there were present Aldermen Doff, Hennessy, Marx, Mc Given, Palmer, Robert R. Todd, and James F. Todd.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The petition of Thomas Heffernan and three others, who had Division Street graded, curbed and macadamized between Genesee and Jackson Streets, and sidewalks laid on the same, was, on motion, granted.

Moved and carried that the Street Committee have profile made of Division Street.

The resignation of Alderman Rule was read, which is as follows:

To the Honorable Mayor and Members of the Marquette City Council,

Gentlemen, With this I beg to tender my resignation as a member of your Board. I shall ever feel a warm interest in your future labors, all of which I know will tend to the advancement and prosperity of the City.

I have to express my regrets that the necessity of my severing connection with you should arise, but the leaving your City for a time, makes this step imperative.

With much respect, I am,

Yours Truly,
G. W. Rule.

On motion of Alderman Hennessy the aforesaid resignation was accepted and ordered spread on the Records and placed on file.

Moved by Alderman Hennessy, seconded by Alderman J. F. Todd and carried that:

Whereas, Hon George W. Rule president of this Council, has tendered his resignation as Alderman to this Council on account of his removal from this City, and appreciating his ability and uniform courtesy in our deliberations during the past two years, and regretting his resignation from the Council and removal from our City;

Resolved, That it is the sense of this body that it is losing an able associate and member whose Council and advice has been very valuable and that such removal is very much regretted by us, and it is further

Resolved, That ~~this~~ resolution be spread on the Records

of this Council and a copy thereof be certified to the Honorable gentlemen with the hand and seal of the Mayor and Recorder of this City.

The petition of Mrs Susan Strong, asking the Council to refund the amount of her taxes last year - being a widow with seven small children - which were paid in mistake by another person, and who is pressing her for the money, was, on motion, granted, and the Mayor and Recorder were authorized to issue an order for the amount.

The Street Committee reported and stated that Rodub R. French had completed his contract on Front Street and recommended the payment for same, to wit, Five hundred & forty four dollars (\$544.) and, on motion his bill was ordered paid.

Ayes, Aldermen Dolf, Hemmerson, Helmer, Mack, McGivern Palmer, James F. Todd & Robert R. Todd. Ayes, none.

The Street Committee also stated that John Bugh had completed his Fourth Street Sewer Contract and recommended the payment of the balance on same, to wit, One Hundred and Twenty nine & 28/100 dollars (\$129 ²⁸/₁₀₀) less the bill of the Iron Bay Manufacturing Co. of Thirty four & 6/100 dollars (\$34 ⁶/₁₀₀)

Ayes, Aldermen Dolf Hemmerson Helmer Mack McGivern Palmer James F. Todd & Robert R. Todd. Ayes, none.

The Liquor Bonds of Frank Neville, sureties, Louis Redinger & William Dietcher, and John Little, sureties George W. Reed & John C. Fasbender, were on motion accepted.

Moved & Carried that the following communication be spread on the Records and placed on file:

Thomas Meade Esq., Recorder of the City of Marquette,
Dear Sir - The Board of trustees of School District No 1, of the City of Marquette do hereby certify that the following taxes have been voted by the qualified electors of said district during the school year last closed, and estimated and voted by the Board, under provisions of law: viz:

For support of schools	\$	16,000	00
For purchase of site and building of new School House on Bluff Street		33,000	00
Total	\$	49,000	00

Which amounts you will report to the assessor on proper officer to be assessed upon the taxable property of said

district in accordance with the provisions of the law.

Dated at Marquette this 14th day of September A. D. 1889

F. O. Clark Moderator

Vernon B. Cochran, Director.

X The City Assessor submitted to the Council the assessment roll for grading, curbing, Macadamizing (and placing Culvert in) Pine Street (from Huron Avenue to the street line of Moore's addition), which on being examined was approved by the Council, and the Recorder instructed to give notice, as required by the Charter, that the Common Council would meet on the 18th day of October A. D. 1889 at 8. O. Clock P. M. to consider the final Confirmation of said roll.

Moved & Carried that the profile of Jackson Street be accepted.

On motion of Alderman Palmer, seconded by Alderman J. F. Todd, the following ordinance was adopted:

It is hereby Ordained by the Common Council of the City of Marquette.

1. That Jackson Street from Champion Street to Alameda Street, be graded to the full width thereof, in accordance with the grade heretofore adopted therefor.

2. That said Street, between the limits above specified, be Macadamized to the width of Thirty feet in the center thereof, and that gutters be constructed of Planks along each side of such Macadamizing. Said gutters and said Macadamizing shall be in accordance with the general ordinances of said City, relative thereto.

3. That Culverts be constructed of the size, nature and at the places indicated, upon the profile heretofore adopted for said Street, and that said Culverts be laid under the actual and personal provision of the Street Commissioner.

4. That the Recorder be authorized and directed to advertise for a period of eight days in the daily and weekly Mining Journal for bids to furnish all material and perform all labor necessary for such grading, Macadamizing, gutters and Culverts, The Council reserving the right to reject any or all bids.

5. That each bid shall be accompanied by two Bonds each in the penal sum of the total amount of the bid, one conditioned for the faithful performance of Contract if awarded, and the other conditioned for the payment of all labor and material claims arising under such contract.

6. That the expense and cost of such grading, macadamizing, gutters, and culverts shall be assessed upon the property abutting on said portion of said streets and that the City Assessor be instructed to prepare a special assessment roll for that purpose as soon as such expense and costs shall have been ascertained.

On motion, it was:

Resolved: That there be raised by taxation this current year the following amounts:

Water tax

School "

Electric Light "

Total

\$ 1,500	00
49,000	00
500	00
\$ 51,000	00

On motion of Alderman Hemmsey, seconded by Alderman J. F. Todd it was

Resolved, That the Street Committee be instructed to cause a profile to be made of Ridge Street from the East line of Fourth Street to the East line of Fifth Street, with a view of establishing an easier grade than now exists.

On motion, the following was adopted:

Whereas, a vacancy has occurred in the office of Alderman for Third Ward, by the resignation of George W. Rule whose term would expire in April A. D. 1890, therefore

Resolved that a special election be held on the 7th day of October next at the Livery Office of J. A. Hodgkins on Pine Street for the purpose of filling the vacancy above mentioned. Further

Resolved, That a special meeting of the Board of Registration be held at said Livery Office during the usual hours on the fifth day of October next.

Further Resolved, That the Recorder publish notice of such meeting and special election in the usual manner and that proper registration lists be published.

The Mayor appointed Alderman John F. Mack as president of the Council during Mr. Rule's unexpired term.

Moved & Carried that the Street Commissioner be instructed to remove the Liberty Pole on the corner of Ridge and Third Streets, which is considered unsafe.

The Council then on motion adjourned

Approved Oct 7th 1889.

Thomas Meade Recorder

J. O. Cean Mayor

1889
October
7th

A regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council room on Monday the 7th day of October A. D. 1889. Mayor Clark presiding.

At roll call there were present Aldermen Helmut Mack, McSwain, Palmer, James F. Todd and Robert R. Todd. Aldermen Hennessey and Dolf arrived soon after.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The protest against changing the grade of Ridge Street from Fourth to Fifth Streets was, on motion laid on the table.

The following was presented and read and on motion ordered placed on file:

We, the undersigned inspectors of Election of the Third Ward in the City of Marquette, do hereby certify, that, at the special election held October 7th 1889, to fill the vacancy in the Third Ward, caused by the resignation of George W. Rule, there were one hundred and fifty-two votes cast of which eighty-nine were for James Pindell and sixty-three votes were for Louis Reidinger.

James Pindell having received a majority of the votes cast, we hereby declare him duly elected as Alderman to fill vacancy.

Leander C. Palmer
Nelson D. Hodgkins
Inspectors.

Moved and carried that if Mr Pindell presents himself he be allowed to take his seat in the Council at once.

The Mayor thereupon deputed the City attorney and City Marshal to so inform Mr. Pindell, who afterwards made his appearance.

The petition of Euclid Langness, asking to be allowed Three Hundred dollars on his Pine Street Contract was, on motion, allowed. Ayes, Aldermen Dolf, Helmut Hennessey, Mack, McSwain, Palmer, J. F. Todd and R. R. Todd, nays, none.

The Profile of Division Street was, on motion accepted.

On motion of Alderman Palmer, seconded by Alderman Hennessey, The following Ordinance was adopted:

It is hereby ordained by the Common Council of the City of Marquette:

1. That Division Street from Jackson Street to Genessee Street be graded to the full width thereof as follows: To the width of Thirty feet in the center

thereof. Said street shall be graded in accordance with the grade heretofore adopted therefor and the strips on each side of said thirty feet shall be graded so as to conform with the grade of the side walks on said Jackson and Seneca Streets.

2. That said street, between the limits above specified be macadamized to the width of thirty feet in the center thereof; and that gutters be constructed of plans along each side of such macadamizing. Said gutters and said macadamizing shall be in accordance with the general ordinances of said city relative thereto.

3. That the Recorder be authorized and directed to advertise for a period of eight days in the Daily Mining Journal and once in the weekly Mining Journal for bids to furnish all material and perform all labor necessary for such grading, macadamizing and gutters, the Council reserving the right to reject and or all bids.

4. That each bid shall be accompanied by two bonds each in the penal sum of the total amount of the bid, one conditioned for the faithful performance of contract if awarded, and the other conditioned for the payment of all labor and material claims arising under such contract.

5. That the expense and cost of such grading macadamizing and gutters, shall be assessed upon the property abutting on said portion of said street and that the City Assessor be instructed to prepare a special assessment roll for that purpose as soon as such expense and costs shall have been ascertained.

6. That a side-walk five feet four inches in width be laid on each side of said streets between the aforesaid limits.

The Street Commission's pay roll was presented and on motion approved.

The following bids were presented to grade, curb macadamizing and put culverts in Jackson Street, from Champion Street to Allamont Street; Bough & Hettings being \$1 $\frac{90}{100}$ and James Latour \$1 $\frac{87}{100}$ per linear foot.

On motion of Alderman MacB recorded by Alderman Helmer, Bough & Hettings' bid to grade, curb and macadamize Jackson Street from Champion Street to Allamont Street, for one dollar and eighty cents (\$1 $\frac{80}{100}$) per linear foot was accepted.

and they to be awarded the contract, when they have filed the necessary bonds.

Moved by Alderman Palmer seconded by Alderman J. F. Todd and Carried, that business be suspended to allow Mr. Pendell to qualify; and after taking the oath of office the latter took his seat in the Council and business was thereupon resumed.

The Street Commissioners' report was read and on motion accepted, and ordered placed on file.

The following bills were, on motion allowed and ordered paid:

John P. Finlayson At Com ^{rs} pay roll for Sep	1118	95
John H. Gellik, Lumber in Sep	48	50
Edward Fraser " " "	166	32
Lakeview Iron Works, Repairs at Crusher etc	1	34
J.C. McGuire Snow Cows, Sharpening Drills &c	41	85
L.C. Palmer Engineering on Jackson & Densin Streets	20	00
John Helmut, Cash paid Expens on Rock Crusher & Telegram	8	29
Iron Pipe Manufacturing Co, repairs on Rock Crusher	39	00
Peter Dolf, Hammer handles, Nails &c	17	96
M. R. Memhard Wheel barrow & Nails &c	39	12
Mining Journal Co pub proceedings notes &c	32	30
James Peckomds & Co 3 tons Coal for R. Crusher	13	25
A. O. Jopling & Co Steel Bars &c	12	42
Lake Superior Potash Co Key Potash	2	50
Ed Smith, Recording deeds	3	00
Smith Moore 62 Loads of Rock	15	50
John McAnnara 2 1/2 days work at R. Crusher	10	00
James Moloney, Board person, Aug & Sep	11	25
Thomas Monahy, Special Police at Fair	10	00
William Hogan " " " "	10	00
Chris Peterson " " " "	10	00
E. O'Brien " " " "	10	00
Michael Birmingham " " " "	10	00
Theodore Meyers " " " "	10	00
John Olson " " " "	10	00
A. A. Eggers re-binding Plak books	3	50
Mrs Shattuck, Cleaning Council room by Recorder's Office	4	00
L. C. Palmer, 2. days on Board of Registration & Election	6	00
Nelson Hodgkins 1. " " " " " "	3	00
James Styles, Clerk of " " " "	3	00
A. J. Lobdell " " " " " "	3	00
Nelson Hodgkins Rent of Office for Reg " "	5	00
T. Meade, Cash paid for stamps brown &c	1	86

John. C. Fassbender 85th " Follow for Rent Coucher 6.05.
 Ayer, Alderman. Dolf Hemmsey, Melvut Mack, McGuire
 Palmer Pendell, J. F. Todd and R. P. Todd; says now,
 moved and carried that the committee on Police, Claims
 and grievances be requested to have the walls of the
 Recorder's office suitably repaired.

Moved by Alderman Palmer seconded by Alderman
 Hemmsey, & Carried that,

Whereas the Weekly Mining Journal, in publishing
 the minutes of our meeting of the 27th ult, omitted the
 resolution of respect for ex-Alderman Rube unanimously passed
 by this Council,

Resolved, That the Editor of said paper be requested
 to publish the same in the next weekly Mining Journal
 with a statement that it was omitted in the last week's
 issue in the publication of said minutes.

The Mayor appointed Alderman Pendell to the
 positions vacated by ex-Alderman Rube to wit; Chairman
 of the finance committee and member of the Committee
 on Parks, Amusements & public grounds.

The Council then on Motion adjourned.

Approved Oct 15th 1889.

Thomas Meads
 Recorder

J. V. Case
 Mayor.

1889
October
15th

A special meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council Room on Tuesday the 15th day of October A.D. 1889. Mayor Clark presiding.

At Roll Call there were present Alderman Dolf, Donovan, Hemmessey, Helmer, Maas, McGovern, Palmer, Pendell, James F. Todd & Robert R. Todd.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Mayor appointed Alderman Dolf to the position vacated by ex-Alderman Rub, as a member of the Electric Light Committee.

The following bids for the construction of Trunk Sewer were read, to wit,

Burgh & Hetting, two dollars (\$2) per linear foot, for man-holes fifty dollars (\$50) each; for lamp holes, seventy cents (75^{cts}) per linear foot.

Robert R. French, for the sum of Nine Thousand Six Hundred & Fifty dollars (\$9650). 3.860 feet at two dollars & fifty cents (\$2.50) per foot.

Powell & Mitchell for Eight Thousand Three Hundred dollars (\$8300)

Eric J. Johnson for Two dollars & twenty five cents (\$2.25) per foot provided Clay ^{pipe} is to be used & at the rate of Two dollars and twenty five cents (\$2.25) per foot if Iron pipe is to be used. Man holes Thirty Three dollars (\$33.) each and Lamp holes One dollar (\$1.00) each.

A modified bid was presented later by Eric J. Johnson moved by Alderman Helmer and seconded by Alderman Donovan that the modified bid be accepted, but on a vote of yeas and nays being taken the same was lost.

Considerable discussion then ensued as to the mode of raising funds for the construction of said sewer, when Alderman Pendell, seconded by Alderman Dolf, introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Contract for the Trunk Sewer be let and work proceed. Further,

Resolved, That such sums of money be borrowed as shall be necessary to make payments to Contractors, and such loans be paid out of the money collected on the special assessment for said Trunk Sewer.

Moved by Alderman Hemmessey, seconded by Alderman Helmer, that this resolution be laid over for future consideration.

Ayes, Alderman Donovan, Hennessy, Helmer, Mac
Mc Givern, Nays - Aldermen Dolf Palmer Pendell J. F. Todd
and R. P. Todd. Thus being a tie vote, the Mayor cast the
deciding vote in the affirmative.

Moved and carried that the Street Commissioner be
directed to interview the Railroad authorities requesting them
to remove the Telegraph poles not in use on Front Street,
between Main & Superior Streets.

The Council then ^{at a session} adjourned this Friday evening next
approved Oct 18th 1889.

Thomas Meads
Recorder

J. O. Cress
Mayor

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A special meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council Room on Friday the 18th day of October A.D. 1889. Mayor Clark presiding.

At Roll call there were present Aldermen Doff, Donovan, Hennessy, Helmert, Mack, McGivern, Palmer, Pendell, James F. Todd & Robert A. Todd.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

X The special Assessment Roll for grading, curbing, macadamizing (and constructing Culverts in) Pine Street, from Hewitt Avenue to the North line of Moore's addition, was, on motion of Alderman Palmer seconded by Alderman Mack, confirmed, and the Recorder instructed to hand said Assessment roll over to the City Treasurer for collection.

The profile of Ridge Street from East line of Oak to Fifth Street was presented for inspection.

Moved & Carried that a recess of five minutes be allowed for an examination of same.

Moved by Alderman Hennessy seconded by Alderman Helmert & Carried that the aforesaid profile be accepted and that any previous profile that may exist within said limits of Ridge Street be, and is hereby rescinded.

On motion of Alderman Palmer, seconded by Alderman Helmert, the following ordinance was adopted.

It is hereby ordained by the Common Council of the City of Marquette:

1. That Ridge Street, from the East line of Oak Street to the East line of Fifth Street, be graded to the full width thereof according to the grade heretofore adopted therefor.

2. That said Street, between the limits above specified, be macadamized to the width of Forty six feet in the centre thereof, and that gutters be constructed of plank along each side of such Macadamizing. Said gutters and said Macadamizing shall be in accordance with the general ordinances of said City relative thereto.

3. That the Recorder be, and is directed to advertise for a period of ten days in the daily morning Journal and once in the weekly Mining Journal for bids to furnish all material and perform all labor necessary for such grading, macadamizing and gutters, the Council Reserving the right to reject any or all bids.

4. That each bid shall be accompanied by two bonds each in the penal sum of the total amount of the bid, one conditioned for the faithful performance of contract, if awarded, and the other conditioned for the payment of all labor & material claims arising under such contract.

5. That the expense & costs of such grading, macadamizing and gutters shall be assessed upon the property abutting on said portion of said street, and that the City assessor be instructed to prepare a special assessment Roll for that purpose as soon as such expense and costs shall have been ascertained.

6. That a sidewalk five feet four inches in width be laid on the south side of said street between the aforesaid limits.

The bid of James Lattrell to grade, curb and macadamize Division Street, from Jackson Street to Genesee Street for one dollar and 48 ¹⁰⁰/₁₀₀ dollars (\$1.48) per lineal foot (his being the only bid), was on motion accepted and he was awarded the contract for same.

The Street Committee reported and stated that the different bids for Drunk's sewer had been carefully examined, and that of Bergh & Helting amounted to Eight Thousand two hundred & eighty five dollars (\$8,285); that of Robert R. French Nine Thousand six hundred and fifty dollars (\$9,650); that of Towell & Mitchell Eight Thousand three hundred (\$8,300); and that of Erick J. Johnson Nine Thousand & fifty dollars (\$9,050) and although Bergh & Helting's bid appeared the lowest, there was a ten foot, or more, drop of pipe into the sewer to be required in the distance which would actually make Towell & Mitchell's bid about five dollars lower than the others.

Moved by Alderman Palmer, seconded by Alderman Helmer & carried, that Mr. Cummings be authorized to take levels from the intersection of Park & Pine streets, where Davis' system stops, to Third Street at the hollow of the hill.

Moved by Alderman Dolf, seconded by Alderman Palmer and carried, that the cost of the Drunk's sewer be assessed according to frontage.

Moved & carried that the Recorder be instructed to confer with the assessor and request him to have the Drunk's sewer assessment roll ready as soon as possible and send same to the Recorder. The Council then on motion adjourned.

Approved Nov 14th 1889.

Thomas Meads
Recorder

J. O. Clark
Mayor

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A regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council Room on Monday the 4th day of November A. D. 1889, Alderman ^{Mack} in the Chair.

At Roll call there were present Alderman Dolf, Donovan, Nemmsey, Mack, Mc Givern, Wendell, James F. Todd and Robert A. Todd. Alderman Palmer arrived soon after.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, where Alderman Nemmsey stated that it was the report of the Chairman of the street and not the street Committee, in which report he did not concur, in regard to the difference in Powell and Mitchell and Bough and Nitting's bid on Grand Avenue. Said alteration being made, the minutes were then approved.

The communication of Matilda Reichman, giving notice that she intends to build a one story building 18 x 24 feet in size, on the West 35 feet of lot 7. Block 12, of the 36 acre plat of the City of Marquette, and cover the roof and sides with corrugated iron, for a Millinery store, was, on motion, referred to the Fire Wardens.

The petition of Mrs Mc Carthy stating that her house and lot on Hampton Street had been sold for taxes, that she was a widow and had no means to redeem it, was on motion granted, and the matter referred to the City Attorney as to the mode of procedure.

The petition of Smith Moore and J. E. Reard to have Prospect Street, from the West line of Pine Street to the East line High Street, graded, curbed and Macadamized, was, on motion, referred to the Street Committee.

The petition of Mr. Hoffman and the other property holders on Division Street, between Jackson and Genesee Streets, protesting against Contract being let for improvement of same on a single bid, was, on motion, laid on the table.

The Liquor Bonds of Eugene Darochelle, with James W. Young and George Freeman as sureties, was, on motion accepted.

The City assessor submitted to the Council the following assessment rolls, to wit: For grading, curbing, [&] Macadamizing Division Street from Jackson Street to Genesee Street, and for grading Macadamizing and constructing Culverts and Gutters in Jackson Street from Champion Street to Allamont Street, which on being examined were approved by the Council, and on motion, the Recorder was instructed to give notice, as required by the Charter, that the Common Council would meet on the eighteenth day of November A. D. 1889, at 8.0 o'clock P. M. to consider the final confirmation of said rolls.

The Street Commissioner's pay roll was presented, and over

motion accepted.

The Chairman of the Street Committee reported and stated that Euclid Largenness had completed his Pine Street Contract to the satisfaction of the said Committee and recommended that he be paid the balance on said contract, to wit: Seven hundred and forty dollars (\$740) less five dollars to credit the City for R.O.S., and on motion said recommendation was sustained.

The several different bids for grading, curbing and macadamizing Ridge Street from East line of Oak Street to east line of Fifth Street were read, and on motion of Alderman Palmer seconded by Alderman Helmer the bid of Charles Hall Charles Anderson & Jacob Oberg, to do the above work for Seven Hundred and Fifty dollars (\$750) was accepted, and they were awarded the contract.

The City attorney stated that he had effected an ^{agreement} with Mr. Day, who was willing to accept a lease of the Farm & farm buildings, excepting three specified rooms in the dwelling house now occupied by said Day at Collinsville, and it was moved & carried that the Mayor and Recorder be authorized to sign a lease to Oliver Day for the use of the City Farm and portion of the house till the 15th day of May, 1890, for the sum of one dollar.

The Street Commissioner's report was read and on motion accepted.

The following bills were on motion allowed and on motion ordered paid:

John P. Finlayson, St. Croix Ock pay Roll	1286.	59
Euclid Largenness, bal on Pine St Contract	740	00
John H. Elliot, Lumber in Ock	✓ 32	82
Edward Fraser " " "	✓ 248	94
Mining Journal Co, pub proceedings & printing, Contra Sts for sewer notices	✓ 74	00
D. F. Charlton, plans, specifications & survey East End Culvert	✓ 30	00
A. O. Jopling & Co, sewer pipe etc	✓ 1	88
Peter Wolf, Stos at Recorder's Office	✓ 30	00
H. H. Stafford & Son Stating etc	✓ 2	65
C. A. Call 50 ft fence	✓	50
Lake Superior Powder Co, dynamite & fuse	✓ 16	00
White Packard & Co 4. Kegs Nails	✓ 11	00
Gates Iron Works, two ho 2 Heads for Press Cracker	✓ 50	00
E. T. Drew Hazing at Lord up	✓ 1	00
F. B. Spear 3. tons Crak at Recorder's Office	✓ 19	50
James Moloney, 9 days board of Prisoners	✓ 5	62
Hager & Johnson C. Planks	1	63

Charles Mc Cormack, repairing Council Room furniture	1	50
J. J. Mullally, drayage	2	78
George Surub Jr	1	25
Fred H. Whipple, bal "on his Election Sign plane & prospect"	27	00

Ayes, Alderman Dolf, Donovan, Hennessy, Helmuth, Mack, McGovern, Palmer, Pendleton J. F. Todd & Robert R. Todd. Nays none.

Alderman Palmer stated that Fred H. Whipple had agreed to accept two hundred and seventy dollars (\$270) in settlement of the balance of his account against the City when it was moved by and carried that Fred H. Whipple be paid the above amount and that the Mayor & Recorder be authorized to issue an order for the same.

Ayes, Alderman Dolf, Donovan, Hennessy, Helmuth, Mack, McGovern, Palmer, Pendleton J. F. Todd & Robert R. Todd. Nays none.

Moved by Alderman Helmuth, seconded by Alderman Dolf, that the ordinance relative to Hawks & Pigeons be re-considered.

Alderman Hennessy moved an amendment, which was carried, that the matter be laid over till next meeting.

The Council then on motion adjourned.

Approved November 7th 1889.

Thomas Meads
Recorder

Jno. F. Mack
Acting Mayor

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A Special meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council room on Thursday the 7th day of November A. D. 1889, Mayor Clark presiding.

At Roll call there were present Aldermen Donovan, Helmut Mack, Palmer, Pendell, J. F. Todd and R. R. Todd.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Mayor stated that the meeting was called especially to consider the application of J. P. Andrews, of Grand Rapids, agent of a syndicate of Capitalists, for an expression of sentiment as to what the City would be willing to do as an inducement to said Capitalists for locating their proposed Marble works here, and the following Communication was presented:

Marquette, Mich, Nov 7th 1889.

To his Honor, the Mayor, and the Common Council of the City of Marquette:

Gentlemen: - Among other available localities looked upon by the Marble interests which I represent, is your City as a point to manufacture the products of the great deposits of Verde antique Marble - which we have now under our control in this County. Certain of your Citizens have induced me to present this matter to your honorable body for an expression from you as to what your City would do to aid this enterprise to come here in the way of donating Water power privileges and grounds suitable for the location of the plant, which will be needed to manufacture for the Market the products of these quarries.

Very Respectfully

J. P. Andrews, agent.

After a few statements by Mr Andrews concerning the Character and extent of said proposed enterprise, and a thorough expression of opinions by the Mayor and several Aldermen and a few remarks from Mayor Astor on the subject. on Motion of Alderman Mack seconded by Alderman Helmut, the following Resolution was adopted: Alderman Pendell voting against it, saying he had not thoroughly looked over the ground of the Water Power and thought it necessary not to be too hasty in the matter:

Whereas, J. P. Andrews, of Grand Rapids, Michigan agent representing a syndicate, engaged in developing and intending to develop Marble quarries near Ishpeming, and in other portions of the upper Peninsula, and who is

desirous of locating at a suitable point, a mill for the manufacture of Marble, granite, slate, etc, in all their forms demanded by Commerce, and his attention having been called to the Dead River Water Powers, owned by this City, and inducements having been offered to the said syndicate by other parties at other points, for the location of said works, and the said Andrews desiring to learn from this City what inducements would be offered to his syndicate for the location of said works on the property of the City at said Water powers, has, at the suggestion of Citizens of this place, presented to the body a petition for consideration of the question, and whereas, it is proposed by the said syndicate to establish large ^{and} extensive works that will employ, at the commencement of its operations, fifty men, with a volume of business, not less than half a million dollars per year, with a certainty of a very large increase, and inside of three years from its commencement at least one hundred men, with the prospect of a much larger number, and whereas the building of a suitable dam, buildings, and the placing of machinery suitable for such enterprise, will involve an outlay of at least fifty thousand dollars at the commencement, and

Whereas, it is the sense of this body that said enterprise should be induced to locate in our midst and upon our Water powers,

Resolved: That this City will grant to the said Andrews, as agent for the said syndicate, an option, to take as a donation a perpetual lease or deed of twenty acres of land, for the purpose of locating said works, located below the present dam built by the City at Dead River, and at such point as shall be selected by the said Andrews, as agent ~~and agent~~ for the said syndicate, and agreed upon by this body, with such amount of frontage upon the River, adjacent to the said dam, to be ceded by the said syndicate as shall be necessary for said enterprise, the twenty acres extending back adjacent to the point where the dam shall be located, in such form as not to occupy more of the River front than would be necessary for the successful prosecution of said work, and that the said syndicate, if they shall erect said works, in accordance with the expectations herein set forth, shall receive either a perpetual lease of the said property or a deed of the same, upon carrying out the erection of the said works, and shall, upon Election before the first day of July next to take said location as a donation, have executed to them an optional Contract

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for such for such perpetual lease or deed, as shall
be agreed upon, according to a specific contract,
to be entered into by this City, the said works to be commenced
within one year from this time, or said optional contract
shall be forfeited.

The Council then, on motion adjourned
Approved Nov 18th 1889.

Thomas Meads
Recorder

J. V. Claus
Mayor

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A special meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council room on Monday the 18th day of November A. D. 1889, Mayor Clark presiding.

At Roll call there were present Aldermen Hennessy, Helmer, Mc Givern, Palmer, Pendelt, J. F. Todd and R. R. Todd.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The communication of Bugh & Netting asking to be allowed \$550 on account of their Jackson Street Contract was considered, and after some discussion they were, on motion of Aldermen Hennessy, seconded by Alderman Mc Givern allowed four hundred dollars (\$400.) on the same. Ayes - Aldermen Hennessy, Helmer, Mc Givern, J. F. Todd and R. R. Todd. Nays Aldermen Palmer and Pendelt.

Moved by Aldermen Hennessy and seconded by Aldermen J. F. Todd, that the protest of Thomas Heffernan and others, respecting the Division Street Contract, be taken from the table, whereupon Alderman Palmer, chairman of the Street Committee, stated that the Contract had been let and the grading thereof ^{partially} completed, and it was too late for such a protest; whereat considerable discussion ensued, in which Mr. Heffernan requested to be heard to protest against the Contract, but the Mayor stated that as said Contract had been let by the Council and signed by the City officials and the Contractor, nothing more could more could be done in the matter of protesting against the Contract, so the said motion was lost.

On motion of Alderman Palmer, seconded by Alderman Pendelt, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the assessment Roll for grading, macadamizing, and constructing gutters on Ridge Street from the east line of Oak Street to the back line of Fifth Street be approved, and that the Recorder be instructed to give notice as required by the charter, that the Common Council will meet on the 2nd day of December A. D. 1889, at 8 o'clock P. M. to consider the final confirmation of said roll.

On motion of Alderman Palmer seconded by Alderman Pendelt, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the special assessment roll for grading, curbing, [&] macadamizing Division Street from Jackson Street to Genesee Street, and the special assessment roll for grading, macadamizing [&] constructing culverts and gutters

in Jackson Street from Champion Street to Attamout Street, be confirmed, and that the Recorder be instructed to hand said assessment rolls over to the City Treasurer for collection.

Moved ^{and} carried, that the time of collecting taxes on the special assessment roll, for grading, curbing, macadamizing and constructing gutters in Pine Street from Hewitt Avenue to the ^{north} line of Moore's addition, be and is hereby extended thirty days from date.

On motion of Alderman Palmer, seconded by Alderman Hennessy, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Recorder be authorized to advertise for bids for snow plowing of the sidewalks in the City of Marquette within the following limits, viz:

Commencing at the West line of the Catholic Cemetery thence Northeasterly to Hampton Street, thence east on Hampton Street to Lake Street, thence along Lake Street to Walnut Street; thence along Walnut to Ridge; thence along Ridge to Cedar; thence along Cedar to Michigan; thence along Michigan to Spruce; thence along Spruce to Hewitt Avenue; thence along Hewitt Avenue to Pine; thence along Pine to north line Smith Moore's addition; thence return to Hewitt Avenue and run west to Front Street; thence north on Front to Prospect, thence return to Hewitt Avenue and run west to Third Street; thence north on Third to the Fair grounds; thence return to Hewitt Avenue; thence west on Hewitt Avenue to Fourth Street; thence north on Fourth Street to Alger; thence west on Alger to Lee Street; thence return to Fourth Street; thence south on Fourth to Ohio; thence west on Ohio to Oak; thence south on Oak to Michigan; thence west on Michigan to Seventh; thence south on Seventh to Bluff; thence west on Bluff to Lincoln Avenue; thence south on Lincoln Avenue to Washington; thence east on Washington to Fifth Street; thence south on Fifth to Spring Street; thence west on Spring to Seventh; thence south on Seventh to Whatstone Creek; thence return to Superior; thence east on Superior to Fifth; thence south on Fifth to Fisher; thence east on Fisher to Champion; thence south on Champion to Genesee; thence east on Genesee to Adams; thence return to Division Street; and south westerly on Division Street to place of beginning.

That the work be done in a proper manner and immediately after every snow fall, to be plowed down to a level surface and to within four inches of the walks.

and on each side of the streets where side walks are laid.

Where no walks are laid plow center of Streets. All streets within the above limits to be plowed within twenty four hours after each snow storm.

Must be also understood that the Contractor shall plow the City Cemetery roads as often as required by the Sexton of the Cemetery.

Sundry bills were on motion laid over till the Regular meeting.

On motion of Alderman Pendell seconded by Alderman J. F. Todd it was

Resolved That the Recorder be and he is hereby authorized and directed to notify the Marquette Gas Light Company that the contract between it and the City for Street Lighting shall end November 30th, 1889.

Moved by Alderman Helmut, seconded by Alderman Dolf and carried that a contract be let for wiring and preparing the City Buildings for Electric for Electric Lighting and that the Recorder be instructed to admit for bids.

On motion of Alderman Palmer, seconded by Alderman Helmut, the following ordinance was adopted:

It is hereby ordained by the Common Council of the City of Marquette:

Section 1. That the Mayor and Recorder of this City be empowered and directed to execute and issue ~~the~~ Bonds of the City to the amount of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) under and by virtue of the provisions of Section 14, of Chapter 5, of the Charter of this City, said bonds to be issued for the purpose of providing the means of lighting the streets and alleys of this City in accordance with Article 20, of Section 2, of said Chapter 5 of said Charter.

Section 2. That said Bonds, when so executed, be delivered to the Board of Water Power and Electric Light Commissioners of this City, to be negotiated by them at a rate of interest not to exceed five (5) per cent. The money so procured from the negotiation of said bonds to be used for the purpose hereinbefore mentioned, the said bonds to be issued for a term

of not less than 10 (ten) years, interest pay-
able semiannually.

Moved and carried that the City attorney
be authorized to have blank contracts printed.

The Council then, on motion adjourned
Approved Dec 2nd 1889.

Thomas Meade
Recorder

J. O. Cope
Mayor

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A Regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council Room on Monday the 2nd day of December A.D. 1889. Mayor Clark presiding.

At roll call there were present Aldermen Dolf, Donovan, Hennessy, Helmut, Mack, McGovern, Palmer, J. F. Todd and Robert R. Todd ^{and approved.}

The communication of Bur Gasper to John Goldsmith protesting against any taxes being assessed against them or the property they represent, on West Ridge Street stating said said portion of that street had already been improved and paid for, was, on motion laid on the table. The understanding being, that when they provide said property has paid for previous improvement of that street, their taxes would be refunded.

The petition of the Chicago, Milwaukee & Lake Superior Telegraph Co., by Marcus Pollack, General Manager, for right of way through the streets of the City was, on motion, referred to the Street Committee.

The communication of Fred H. Whipple stating that there is still due him on account of Electric Light plans etc, eighty dollars and requesting remittance, was on motion of Alderman Palmer seconded by Alderman Donovan, ordered placed on file.

The petitions of Mrs Peter Ring asking to be relieved from the payment of her taxes, and of Eugene Osmund from the payment of a portion of his tax, were, on motion referred to the Committee on Police Claims and grievances.

The Liquor Bond of George St Yves and Promis Langerine, - sureties, Henry Dion and Isaac Schubert was, on motion approved and accepted.

On motion of Alderman Palmer seconded by Alderman Mack it was

Resolved, That the Special Assessment Roll for grading constructing gutters gutters, and Macadamizing Ridge Street from East Line of Oak Street, to East Line of Fifth Street be confirmed, and that the Recorder be instructed to hand such assessment Roll over to the City Treasurer for collection.

The City Assessor submitted to the Council the special the special assessment Roll for Tremé Scur, embracing the territory which in his opinion should be covered in said Roll, for its consideration.

On motion of Alderman Hennessy, seconded

by Alderman Helmer, it was

Resolved, That the Special assessment Roll for Sewer be left with the City recorder for examination until the next meeting of the Council.

The following following Communication was read and on motion ordered placed on file:

L. C. Palmer, Chairman of the Street Committee,

Dear Sir; We have been requested to give the items that make up our bid on Sewer and the total amount that we expect to receive for the contract. They are as follows:

Length of Sewer 3,860 feet at \$2 ⁰⁰	\$ 7,720. 00
Eleven Manholes @ \$50 ⁰⁰	550. 00
Ten feet of Lampholes @ 75 ⁰⁰ per foot	7. 50
Total	\$ 8,277. 50

The above length of Sewer is figured to come drop from street to old Breakwater level, and from that level to the water.

We also understood that in the low place north of Stewart Avenue the pipe was to be covered 6 feet.

The man holes and lamp holes to come to surface as provided in Davis' plans.

Bugh & Stetting.

The bids for Snow Plowing during the winter were read: That of Freeman Brothers being \$500. and that of Euclid Lagersen \$325.

Moved & carried that Euclid Lagersen bid be accepted and that he be awarded the contract for snow plowing the streets this winter according to specifications, for Three Hundred & twenty five dollars (\$325).

Moved & Patton were, on motion, awarded the contract for wiring & providing the City Buildings with Electric Lighting apparatus for Eighty one dollars (\$81).

Moved by Alderman Palmer, seconded by Alderman Helmer and carried that the City Treasurer be authorized to have Sidney Adams note of nine hundred and ninety seven dollars negotiated at par.

The Street Commissioners pay roll was on motion approved.

The Report of the Street Commissioner was read, approved, & ordered placed on file.

The following bills were, on motion allowed and ordered paid:

John P. Timlayson St. Comm. pay (row for two)	446	27
L. C. Putnam Lumber ^{no} profile of Ridge St	5	00
T. C. Mc Suer Cours, (Repairing tort &c)	16	40
Mining Journal Co. pub. proceedings 3 meetings } notes to contractors &c }	47	90
Mr. R. Manhard, rice, packing, harness &c	26	45
James Moloney. 7 days Board of Prisoners	3	37
T. Meade, Cash paid for Matting	1	30
Mrs. Mathey, Cleaning Council Rooms the Recorder's Office	4	00
Iron Bay Mfg Co, Iron ² Band for R. Crusher	6	40
Peter White Insuring City Hall - L & L & Co.	15	00
A. O. Jopling & Co 2. Hedges	2	10
James Pharr, 5 days work on City Hall	20	00
Barclay Mc Andrews 4 1/2 " " " "	7	88
John C. Fashender, 64 ^{lbs} Tallow	4	48
F. B. Spear, 2 barrels Cornish	6	00
J. J. Mullally, draying Lumber	1	25
George Shrub Jr. " "	1	50
James Lattrell, Division St Improvment } 290 ft at \$1 48 ^{per} ft }	429	20
Ayles, Alderman Dolf, Donovan, Hermann, Walnut		
Mack, Mc Givern, Palmer, J. F. Todd & R. P. Todd.		
Staps, none.		

The following report of the Parks & Cemetery Commissioner was presented:

To his Honor the Mayor & Common Council of the City of Marquette:

Gentlemen:—Your Commission of Public Parks and Cemeteries has the honor to report as follows:

During the past year I have sold a large number of lots in the Cemetery, as will be shown by the accompanying statement of account, with the names of the parties to whom sold and the amounts paid. I have made various improvements in different parts of the grounds, have repaired the roads, besides making some new roads & streets, and completed some additional lots. Quite a large amount of work has been done. The whole grounds are now in a very satisfactory condition.

I have completed a wall around the Bluff Street portion of the Park, as per your directions, and it is a very substantial wall and it is a great improvement to the property.

I completed the iron fence and the posts around the Washington Street Park.

I submit the statement of my account, showing balance due me of \$1036 ⁷³/₁₀₀. The vouchers for the expenditures named in the account I will keep or deliver over to the Recorder or I will exhibit them to a Committee.

The greater part of the amount due me is on account of the wall - the retaining wall around the Bluff Street Park.

Should any explanation or further information be necessary to an item in my account I stand ready to give it.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Yours Respectfully,
Peter White

Paid to Cemetery Commissioner.

On motion of Alderman Dolf seconded by Alderman J. F. Todd, the aforesaid amount of \$1036 ⁷³/₁₀₀ was allowed and the Mayor & Recorder authorized to issue an order on the City Treasurer for the amount.

Ayes Alderman Dolf, Donovan Hennessy, Helmut Mack, Mc Givern Palmer, J. F. Todd & R. R. Todd.

Nays, none.

On motion, the above report was referred to the Committee on Parks, Cemeteries & Public Grounds.

Moved by Alderman Hennessy seconded by Alderman J. F. Todd & carried, that the Mayor & Recorder be authorized to issue an order on the City Treasurer in favor of Mrs Ann McCarty for the sum of Thirty six dollars & twenty nine cents (\$36 ²⁹/₁₀₀) to enable her to redeem her property on Hampton Street, bought in by the City, and afterwards sold to Mrs Caroline Burk for delinquent special assessment tax on said Hampton Street.

On motion of Alderman Palmer seconded by Alderman Helmer, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved: That the City Attorney be and is hereby authorized & instructed to take the necessary legal steps to procure a right of way for "Fair Avenue", so called, from Pine Street where the E. & W. center line of Sec 14-48-25 crosses said street; thence west on said center line to the Powder Mill Road.

The Council then, on motion adjourned
Approved Dec 9th 1889.

Thomas Meade
Recorder

J. O. Casey
Mayor.

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9th

A special meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council Room on Monday, the 9th day of December A. D. 1889. Mayor Clark presiding.

At Roll Call there were present Aldermen Dolf, Donovan, Hennessy, Helmer, Mack, McGovern, Palmer, Pundett, J. F. Todd and R. R. Todd.

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The petition of Ber Gasper, asking for damages caused to his property by raising the grade on Ridge Street, was, on motion referred to the Street Committee.

The petition of Mrs James O. Donnell asking for an exemption of the payment of her Water tax, was, on motion, referred to the Committee on Police Claims & grievances.

The petition of Bugh & Stetting to be allowed Four Hundred dollars on their Jackson Street Contract, was, after some discussion, allowed.

Ayes, Aldermen Dolf, Donovan, Hennessy, Helmer, Mack, McGovern and J. F. Todd. Nays - Aldermen Pundett and R. R. Todd. Alderman Palmer not voting.

The bill of Fred H. Whipple of Eighty Dollars, was, on motion, referred to the Electric Light Committee.

On motion of Alderman Palmer Seconded by Alderman Helmer it was

Resolved, That the petition of Marcus Pallasky on behalf of the Chicago Milwaukee & Lake Superior Telegraph Company, praying for permission to erect Telegraph poles and maintain Telegraph lines within the City, be granted upon the following conditions:

1. That the said Company shall deposit with the City Recorder Five Hundred Dollars (\$500⁰⁰/₁₀₀) as a guaranty of good faith, and as a guaranty that all expenses with that the City may incur in connection with this franchise shall be paid, and that the said Company will fully observe all the conditions that are imposed.

2. That all poles will be erected as directed by the Common Council, both as to place and manner of erection.

3. That said Company will leave the streets of this city in as good condition as found.

4. That the said Company will remove all its wires and poles from the City upon demand of the

Common Council.

The City hereby reserves the right to remove all the Poles and wires of the said Chicago Milwaukee & Lake Superior Telegraph Company, from the streets of said City if said Company shall at any time, for a period of four months neglect to obey the demands of the Common Council as provided in paragraph 4. of this Resolution.

On motion of Alderman Pendell, seconded by Alderman R. R. Todd the following ordinance was adopted:

An ordinance to amend the ordinance relating to the Telephone & Telegraph Construction Company of Detroit.

It is hereby ordained by the Common Council of the City of Marquette,

That the ordinance of this City granting to the Telephone & Telegraph Company of Detroit authority to erect & maintain its poles & lines in this City of Marquette be amended by adding a section thereto, to be known as section 3. a. which shall read as follows:

3. a. That said Telephone & Telegraph Company from and after the first day of January, A. D. (1890) Eighteen Hundred & ninety, before it shall build any new lines or erect any poles, other than to replace former ones, shall give ten day notice to the Street Commissioner of said City, and such poles and extensions shall be erected in accordance with the directions of the Common Council.

The following resolution, was, on motion adopted:

Resolved: That the lists of lots and parcels of land hereto attached shall be and they are hereby constituted a local district upon which shall be assessed the cost of the trunk sewer from the Grace Furnace Dock along Lake Street, thence across to Ohio Street, thence along Ohio Street to Cedar Street, thence along Cedar Street to Hewitt Avenue, thence across to Prospect Street & thence North Westerly to Third Street. That said local district shall be subdivided into two subdistricts, to be known as the East subdistrict and the West subdistrict.

That the East Subdistrict shall consist of the whole of Hewitt's Addition to the City of Marquette, except such portion thereof as lies East of Walnut Street, and also except the West half of lot two, one, and also except the frontage on Lake Street, west of Spruce;

The property abutting on the North side of Hewitt Avenue from Cedar St Front Street; The property abutting on both sides of Prospect Street from Front Street to the Trunk Sewer. The property fronting on both sides of Front from Ohio Street to Hewitt Avenue; the property fronting on both sides of Ohio Street from Front Street to High Street; The property fronting on the West side of High Street from North line of lot 4, block 7, of John Burt's addition to the City of Marquette, to Hewitt Avenue; lot 16, of block 6, of John Burt's addition to the City of Marquette and lot 1, block 5, of said John Burt's addition to the City of Marquette.

The West subdistrict shall comprise the balance of the lands & lots described in the lists hereto attached.

It is resolved further, That the City assessor be & is hereby instructed to prepare an assessment roll of the East subdistrict, as hereby defined, and to assess nine ^{or} six hundredths cents per foot of frontage of the property therein described and also assess in addition 50 cts per foot frontage of property fronting or that can drain directly into, said trunk sewer.

Moved by Alderman Palmer seconded by Alderman Hennessy and Carried, that the City should pay Three Thousand dollars towards the Trunk Sewer.

Ayes, Alderman Dolf, Donovan Hennessy, Alderman Mack, McGovern, Palmer J. J. Todd & R. R. Todd, Nay none.

On motion of Alderman Palmer, seconded by Alderman Hennessy it was

Resolved, That the contract for building sewer from Grace Furnace Dock to Prospect Street be let to Bugh & Stetting, for the sum of Eight Thousand Two Hundred twenty seven dollars & 50. cts (\$8277.50) & that they be required to complete the work by the first day of May 1890. provided that not more than one fourth of the full contract price shall become payable in any one calendar month; otherwise the contract be let in full accordance with the plans & specifications in the Davis sewer system.

Moved by Alderman Hennessy seconded by Alderman Dolf & Carried, that the City employ a competent Engineer to over-see the building of the Trunk Sewer.

On motion, the following Ordinance was adopted.

An Ordinance to amend the Ordinance relative to Trunk Sewer.

It is hereby ordained by the Common Council of the City of Marquette:

That Section 4. of Ordinance relative to Trunk Sewer adopted September 13th 1889, be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 4. That the cost of such sewer, together with \$3000 ²⁰/₁₀₀, the estimated cost of extending said Trunk Sewer to Third Street be provided for as follows; Three Thousand Dollars to be paid out of the general fund of the City and the balance, which balance has been ascertained by contract to be \$8277. ⁵⁰/₁₀₀, be assessed upon the local assessable district heretofore defined therefor as shall be directed by the Common Council.

Moved & carried that the Street Committee be authorized & empowered to direct the work of building the Trunk Sewer through the Old Jackson Dock in such manner as they deem best for the proper protection of the sewer.

Moved & carried that the City employ a competent Engineer to make a proper survey for the Trunk Sewer to Third Street.

Moved & carried that the City Attorney be instructed to take proceedings to obtain the right of way for Trunk Sewer from Prospect Street to Third Street.

The Council then, on motion adjourned.
Approved December 18th 1889.

Thomas Meads
Recorder.

E. O. Clark
Mayor.

390
1889
December
18th

A special meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council room on Wednesday the 18th day of December A. D. 1889. Alderman Mack in the Chair.

At roll call there were present Alderman Dolf, Donovan, Hennessy, Helmuth, Mack, Palmer, Pendell & R. R. Todd. Alderman J. F. Todd arrived soon after.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

The Electric Light Commission requested permission to use the west half of the City Jail for storage purposes, and on motion the matter was referred to the Committee on Public Claims & grievances, with power to act.

The petition of Robert Blenhuber to extend the time of collecting the Jackson Street assessment till the same is completed and accepted by the Street Committee was, on motion laid on the table, & the Recorder instructed to notify Mr. Blenhuber of the status of the law in the matter.

The petition of August Schmidt, asking to be released from the payment of his taxes for personalty, stating that at the time the assessment was made, he had none, and that he was in Germany when the Board of Review met and that the mortgage, for which he was probably taxed, was paid in February etc, was on motion laid on the table.

The petition of David J. Gray asking permission to hold a shooting match on Christmas day, east of Pine Street & north of Moore's addition, was read.

Moved by Alderman Helmuth & seconded by Alderman Pendell that the petition be granted.

Alderman Hennessy, seconded by Alderman Dolf moved an amendment that it be not granted.

Ayes, Alderman Dolf, Donovan, Hennessy & Mack.
Nays, Alderman Helmuth, Palmer, Pendell, J. F. Todd and R. R. Todd.

The original motion was then voted on & carried.

The bill of George Davidson of \$200. damages to team, harness & sleigh, which said team it is stated was frightened by "Boys Coasting on the Public Streets of the City at 8.30. O. Clock in the forenoon", was read.

Moved by Alderman Palmer & seconded by Alderman Dolf that it be laid on the table.

Moved by Alderman Hennessy, seconded by Alderman

Pendell & carried that it be referred to the Committee of Police Claims & grievances.

On motion, it was

Resolved, that the time for collecting the special assessment for grading, curbing, & macadamizing & constructing Culverts in Pine Street from Hubert Avenue to north of Moore's addition, be & is hereby so extended to the 17th day of January, A.D., 1890, and it is further

Resolved, That the time of collecting the Special Assessment for grading, macadamizing and constructing Culverts & Gutters in Jackson Street from Champion Street to Altemont Street, and & for collecting the special assessment for grading, curbing & macadamizing Division Street from Jackson Street to Genesee Street be, and they are hereby so extended, to the 17th day of January A.D., 1890.

The Street Committee presented the following report, which was on motion accepted & ordered placed on file;

The Committee to whom was referred the petition of Ber Gasper beg leave to report as follows:

They find that the petition sets forth facts that are misleading to say the least.

The surface of the lot is not brought up to the grade of the street as we found it before the improvements commenced, that the house is below the grade as we found it. That the sidewalk grade was not up to grade as the street was built. They also state that the improvements in progress will raise the grade of the street on the East line of the 9.5 of a foot & on the West side about 2.3 feet making an average for the whole width of the lot 1.4 feet.

Your Committee also believe that the benefits (reaped) by making ^{thoroughfare} of the street & sidewalks will be equal to the damages, therefore would recommend that the prayer of the petitioner be not granted.

L.C. Palmer, M. Hennessy, Street Committee.

Moved & carried that the Memoir of Raping accounts in the Records & City Treasurer's office be referred to the Finance Committee.

The Council then, on motion adjourned

Thomas Meads
Recorder

John F. Meagher
Acting Mayor

1889
December
26th

A special meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council Room on Thursday, the 26th day of December A.D. 1889. Mayor Clave presiding.

At Roll Call there were present Aldermen Donovan, Hennessy, Helmut, Palmer, Pendleton, J. F. Todd & R. R. Todd. Alderman Mack arrived soon after.

On motion the regular order of business was dispensed with.

On motion of Alderman Helmut seconded by Alderman Hennessy, the following resolution was passed:

Resolved: That the petition of Marcus Pallasky on behalf of the Chicago, Milwaukee & Lake Superior Telegraph Company, praying for permission to erect telegraph poles & maintain telegraph lines within the City, be granted upon the following conditions:

1. That the said Company shall deposit with the City Recorder Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.) as a guaranty of good faith, and as a guaranty that all expenses that the City may incur in granting this franchise, shall be paid, and that the said Company will fully observe the following conditions:

First, that all poles will be erected as directed by the Common Council both as to place and manner of erection.

Second, That said Company will leave the streets of this City in as good condition as found.

And upon the fulfillment of the conditions aforesaid said sum of \$500. less the expenses aforesaid, shall be repaid to said Company.

2. It is further provided that the said Company shall remove all the wires & poles from the streets of the City upon demand of the Common Council.

3. The City hereby reserves the right to remove all the poles & wires of the said Chicago, Milwaukee & Lake Superior Telegraph Company from the streets of said City if said Company shall at any time for the period of four months, neglect to obey the demand of the Common Council as provided in paragraph 2. of this Resolution.

Moved by Alderman Mack, and seconded by Alderman R. R. Todd, that the matter of Coasting down the streets be referred to the Street Committee.

to report at the next Council meeting.
 Yes, Aldermen Donovan, Helmut Mack, Thudell
 & R. A. Todd. Nays, Aldermen Hennessy, Palmer
 & J. F. Todd.

The Council then on motion adjourned
 approved January 3rd, 1890

Thomas Meads
 Recorder

F. O. Clark
 Mayor

1890

January
3rd

A Special meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council Room on Friday, the 3rd day of January A.D. 1890, Alderman Mack in the Chair.

At Roll Call there were present Aldermen Dolf, Hennessy, Helmut, Mack, Mc Givern, Palmer & R. H. Bael.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

On motion, the Regular order of business was dispensed with.

Moved by Alderman Palmer, seconded by Aldermen Hennessy and carried, that the time of collecting the special assessment for grading, Macadamizing and constructing gutters on Ridge Street from East line of Oak Street to East line of Fifth Street, be and is hereby extended to the 3rd day of February A.D. 1890.

The Street Committee reported & recommended, at the suggestion of Engineer Paul Mc Hely, that the two feet drop in River sewer near Marquette dock be changed, and that the River be lowered two feet at that point, and to run in a derrick line to strike the grade already established, where Ridge Street sewer will enter said River sewer.

A Communication from Bergh & Wetling was read, stating they would make said change in grade of River for twenty five dollars (\$25.), and on motion of Alderman Dolf, seconded by Alderman Helmut, the said recommendation was sustained and Bergh & Wetling were allowed Twenty five (\$25.) dollars for the Extra Work.

The Council then, on motion adjourned.
Approved January 6th 1890.

Thomas Meads
Recorder

Jno. F. Mack.
Acting Mayor

1890
January
6th

A Regular Meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council Room on Monday the 6th day of January A. D. 1890, Mayor Clark presiding.

At roll call there were present Aldermen Donovan, Hennessy, Helmer, Mc Givern Palmer & R. R. Todd. Alderman Dolf, Mack & Pindill arrived later.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

H. N.
Helsup's
petition

The petition of H. N. Helsup, Superintendent of the C. M. & S. S. Telegraph Co, asking that the five hundred dollars deposited with the City Treasurer as a guaranty, be refunded to the Company, was, on motion of Alderman Palmer seconded by Alderman Donovan, ordered placed on file.

Cooper's
petition

The petition of H. L. Cooper asking for rebate of \$16 ⁸⁵/₁₀₀ on account of Taxes on Stock, was, on motion, laid on the table.

The Communication of the Commissioner of Parks and Cemeteries, requesting the Council to allow the Sexton or keeper of the Cemetery Fifty Dollars per month for his services the year round, and for him to pay over all fees which he receives for work to the City, stating that the fees he now receives are entirely inadequate to keep his family in winter etc, was read.

Moved by Alderman Helmer that the above amount be allowed the Sexton.

Moved by Alderman Hennessy, seconded by Alderman Mack & carried that the matter be referred to the Committee on Parks Cemeteries & Public grounds.

The Liquor Bond of John B. Taylor, Sureties, George B. Coles & Charles Muske, was, on motion approved & accepted.

On motion of Alderman Palmer seconded by Mack, the following ordinance was adopted:

It is hereby ordained by the Common Council of the City of Marquette:

Boards of
Water Power
& Electric Light
Commissioners
Kept Separate.

Section 1. That, Whereas it is the judgement of this Council that the business affairs of the Board of Water Power & Electric Light Commissioners, not only in the erection, but in the improvement & operation of the Dead River Water Power, and of the Electric Lights there generated, should be kept separate, the same as the affairs of the Board of Water & Fire Commissioners of this City, and that the income from the generating of power & the transmission of the same for Mechanical use, and also, the income from the

Electric Lights generated thereby, should be appropriated, First, to pay the interest upon the bonds that have been issued for the purchase of the water power property and the improvement of the same; and, second, - as a fund for further improvement of said water power, if such improvement should be deemed necessary, and for the payment of any indebtedness incurred by the erection of the electric works upon this water power.

City to pay for Electric Lights Therefore, it is resolved, That the City pay, out of the general fund, to the Treasurer of the Board of Water Power & Electric Light Commissioners, the sum of Forty dollars per light per year, for each arc light as shall be furnished by the said Board to the City for the purpose of street lighting. Such payments to be made in monthly instalments: viz. \$3.33 1/3 per month per lamp.

Section 2. It is further ordained that the said Board of Water Power & Electric Light Commissioners furnish to the City sixty arc lights as now located and until further ordered by the City, and that the Mayor & Recorder be directed to issue a City order monthly, payable to the Treasurer of the Board of Water Power & Electric Light Commissioners for each of the said lights, at the rate of Forty dollars per year, the said amount to be appropriated by the said Board of Water Power & Electric Light Commissioners as their duties may require, in accordance with the previous ordinances of this body.

Boards to render quarterly account. Section 3. It is further ordained that the said Water Board & Electric Light Commissioners, file with the Recorder a quarterly statement, on or before the first days of January, April, July & October of each year, of the expenditures of the said Board and of its receipts, and sufficiently specific, to inform this body as to the condition of its finances and of its management.

Moved & Carried that the midnight Electric Light Circuit be cut off on moonlight nights as suggested by the Board of Water Power & Electric Light Commissioners, be left to the Manager of the board.

Moved by Alderman Hennessy, seconded by Alderman Nelson & Carried, that Mr. C. E. Snow be allowed Three Hundred dollars for the general fund as compensation for services rendered the Electric Light Commission.

Also, Alderman Dolf, Donovan, Hennessy, Nelson, Mack, McQuinn, Pendleton & R. R. Todd, Support Alderman Palmer.

Moved by Alderman Palmer & Carried that the aforesaid amount be charged up to the Electric Light fund.

Ordinance
against
Coasting
on
certain
streets.

The Street Commissioners' Payroll was on motion approved. 397

The Street Committee to whom was referred the matter of Coasting, reported & recommended the adoption of the following ordinance, which was, on motion adopted:

An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled an ordinance for the prevention of Coasting, Skating or Riding on dog sleighs.

It is hereby ordained by the Common Council of the City of Marquette,

1. That section 1. of an ordinance entitled an ordinance for the prevention of Coasting, Skating or Riding on dog sleighs be amended so as to read as follows; -

Section 1. That no person or persons shall hereafter indulge in the sport or pastime of Coasting, sliding on sleighs or driving on dog sleighs on the sidewalks of any of the streets of the City of Marquette, and that no person or persons hereafter shall indulge in the sport or pastime of Coasting upon any portion of First, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth & Seventh Streets, between Ridge Street & Washington Street in said City.

Section 2. That any person or persons who shall be found violating this ordinance, shall upon conviction thereof be punished by a fine not exceeding ten dollars, or by imprisonment not exceeding five days, or both such fine & imprisonment in the discretion of the Court before which such conviction is had.

Section 3. It shall be & is hereby made the duty of every officer of the City to arrest any person violating this ordinance.

On motion of Alderman Palmer seconded by Alderman Hemmsey the following preamble & resolution was passed:

It appearing from the City records that Ridge Street has been heretofore graded & macadamized for a distance of 350 ft west of Fourth Street & regularly assessed against the abutting property & that lots 14 & 15, of Harlow's addition No 1. & 27, 1 ft of Lot 1. of Harlow's addition No 6. comes within the 350 ft. Therefore,

Exemption
from
Ridge
St

assessments.

Resolved that the said Lots 14 & 15, & 27, 1 ft off from the East side of Lot 1. aforesaid be exempted from the special tax assessed thereon, and that the Mayor & Recorder be authorized to draw an order to cover the amount of the tax viz; for \$174 ¹⁴/₁₀₀ said order to be charged up to the general fund in accordance with Sec 20. page 24. of the City Charter.

Alders, Alderman Dolf Donnan Hemmsey Helmut Mack McGinn Palmer Penick & R. R. Podd. Ayes none.

The Street Commissioners' Report was accepted & ordered placed on file.

The petition of Hugh E. Hitting asking to be allowed \$200. on their Jackson Street Contract, was, on motion (referred to the Street Committee.

Moved by Alderman Palmer seconded by Alderman Tuckett & carried, that the matter of Charles Born's bill of \$27 ³¹/₁₀₀ for balance claims on account of Third Street Contract be indefinitely postponed.

Sundry bills were left till next meeting to be disposed of.

On motion of Alderman Humm the following Resolution was passed:

Whereas, This Council has had notice from the Board of Fire & Water Commissioners that the pumping Plant in use at the City Pumping Station is not equal to the increased service required of it and is in other respects in an unsatisfactory condition, therefore:

Resolution
respecting
Pumping
Plant.

Resolved, That it is the sense of this Council that the Board of Fire & Water Commissioners should at once institute measures to remodel the said pumping plant with a view to increasing its efficiency & putting it in the best possible condition for the service required of it, and also that the said Board be requested to furnish the Council with an estimate of the cost of re-modeling, and adding to the mechanical equipment of the Plant in order that provision for meeting the sum may be made. The Council then on motion adjourned.

Approved January 17th 1890

Thomas Meads
Recorder

J. O. Clark
Mayor

1890
January
17th

A Special meeting of the Common Council of the City of Marquette was held in the Council room on Friday the 17th day of January A. D. 1890. Alderman Mack in the Chair.

At Roll call there were present, Aldermen Dolf Hennessy Mack, McEivern Palmer & J. F. Todob. Alderman Helmut & R. R. Todob arrived soon after.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read when Alderman Palmer stated that the matter of shutting off the midnight Circuit on moonlight nights, was left to the Manager of the Electric Light Board; with this alteration the minutes were approved.

Moved & carried that the Regular order of business be dispensed with.

On motion of Alderman Palmer seconded by Alderman Hennessy it was

Extension of
time of
Jackson &
Division St
assessm
Roll.

Resolved, That the time of collecting the assessments for Grading, Macadamizing & Constructing Culverts & Gutters in Jackson Street from Champion Street to Attainment Street; & also for collecting the assessment for Grading, Curbing & Macadamizing Division Street from Jackson Street to Genesee Street be, & they are hereby so extended to the 15th day of February A. D. 1890.

On motion of Alderman Palmer seconded by Alderman Dolf the following resolution was passed:

Resolution
for
Extending
Drunk
Sewer
from
Prospect
to
3rd Sts.

Resolved, That a line run from a point in the Centre of Prospect Streets 185 feet East of the centre of Spruce Street; thence Northwesterly 2447 feet passing through the Centre of Pine & Park Street; thence Westly 371 feet to a point in Third Street 525 feet North of the North line of Moore & Sang's addition be & is hereby approved as the line fixed for the extension of the Drunk Sewer to Third Street & that the City Attorney be authorized & instructed to proceed at once to procure a legal right of way for the laying of said Drunk Sewer.

Sexton's
Salary.

The Committee to which was referred the matter of the Cemetery sexton's Salary, Reported & advised that the recommendation of the Park Commissioner be sustained. Whereupon it was moved & carried that the Sexton be allowed fifty dollars per month to be paid out of the receipts from the sale of Cemetery lots.

Extending
time for
Taxes.

Moved by Alderman Hennessy, seconded by Alderman Helmut & carried, that the City Treasurer be authorized & directed to extend the time of collecting the taxes for the year 1889 to the first day of March A. D. 1890.

On motion, the following bills were allowed & ordered paid:

J. P. Finlayson St. Com ^t , December pay Roll	✓	33	26
J. Dickson & Co, Coal for Road Crusher	✓	55	00
Mining Journal Co, pub proceedings & meetings	✓	35	70
N. H. Stafford & Son Stationery	✓	6	35
Byrnes & Blackwood, Repairing Sewer & Suckup Chute	✓	9	15
Matt Nordman, hauling stone	✓	1	50
Paul McKy, Scurrying Sewer Extension & helps	✓	64	80
Cash paid for Danish Book & Bind	✓	3	00
Stager & Johnson, drafting bound Street & square	✓	8	50
" " 160 ft Lumber	✓	1	92
James Moloney Board of Prisons	✓	2	50
J. P. Finlayson, services to C. M. & L. S. Telegraph Co	✓	6	00
Burgh & Ketting, part pay ^t on Jackson St Contract	✓	200	00
Ayes, Aldermen Dolf, Hennessy, Helmut, Mack, McQuinn Palmer, J. F. Todd & R. P. Todd. Aye none.			

Moved & carried that the Board of Fire & Water Commission pay for preparing the hose hose for Electric Lighting, & that the Recorder be instructed to notify the Contractors to render separate bills for their work.

Moved & carried that the bill of Marquette Township, of Fifty one & 50/100 dollars (\$51 ⁵⁰/₁₀₀) for taxes on land owned by Taxes. the City in said Township, be referred to the City attorney to report at next meeting.

The Council then, on motion adjourned.

Approved Henry 3^d 1890

Thomas Meads
Recorder

J. V. Clark
Mayor.